A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH.—(Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) It is on the border of the Madras State.

(*c*) It is not possible to say when Prohibition will be introduced into Malavalli Taluk.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯ.—ಮಳವಳ್ಳಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಮದ್ರಾಸ್ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಗಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿದೆಯೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಮದ್ರಾಸ್ ರಾಜ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ Prohibition ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದೆಯಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯ.—ಮಳವಳ್ಳಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಮೈಲಿಗೊಂದು, ಎರಡು ಮೈಲಿಗೊಂದು ಅಂಗಡಿಗಳನ್ನು ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಇದರಿಂದಾಗಿ ಅವರಿಂದ complaint ಏನೂ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—5 ಮೈಲಿಗಳ ದೂರದ ಒಂದು Belt areaವನ್ನು ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಆ ದೂರದೊಳಗೆ ಯಾವ ಅಂಗಡಿಗಳನ್ನೂ ಇಡಕೂಡದೆಂದು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯ.—ಮಳವಳ್ಳಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಎಲ್ಲ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲೂ ಹಿಂದಿದೆಯೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಮನಗಂಡು ಆದಷ್ಟು ಜಾಗ್ರತೆ Prohibitionಅನ್ನು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ತರಬೇಕೆಂದು ಯೋಚನೆಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲೇ ಹೇಳಿದೆ. ಸದ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಆ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತೀರ್ಮಾನ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಅದು Policy matter ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

Liquor Permits (Liberalisation of Issue Rules).

Q.—250. Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS (Nominated).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

whether, they would liberalise the rules governing the issue of liquor permits in view of the large number of confirmed addicts who continue to consume illicitly distilled liquor ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—No.

Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS.—Are the Government aware that because of the rigidity of the rules governing the issue of liquor permits the addicts still continue to drink illicit liquor as a result of which there are several deaths on this account ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Regarding the death of these addicts it is not known to Government.

Pumps issued under Grow More Food Scheme.

Q.—641. Sri S. SIDDAPPA Magadi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of pumps under Grow More Food Scheme for which the raiyats have paid money in Magadi Taluk;

(*b*) the number of estimates received ;

(*c*) the reason for not sanctioning ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) 126.

(*b*) 7.

(*c*) Out of 7 estimates, three have been sanctioned, one is under consideration and it is not proposed to sanction the remaining three, as the cost per H. P. exceeds the prescribed limit of Rs. 1,000 per H. P.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ತಾವು ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೂರು ಎಸ್ಟಿಮೇಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಮಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಅವು ಯಾವುವು ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ನಿಜಗೂರು, ಬನ್ನಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಕೆಂಚನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಇವು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಬಾಕಿ ಎಸ್ಟಿಮೇಟುಗಳನ್ನೂ ಮಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಕೆಲವು ಪಂಪುಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಕೆಲವರು ಪಂಪುಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡರೆ ಮಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ಪಂಪು ಸೆಟ್ಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಇಟ್ಟರೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ಎಂ. ಗೋವಿಂದರಾಜು.—ಮಾಗಡಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ನಿಜಗೂರಿಗೆ ಇದುವರೆಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—I have no information.

Soil Conservation Advisory Board.

Q.—241. Sri V. MASIYAPPA (Hiriyur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have constituted any Board to advise them on soil

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conservation measures to be taken in the State ;

(*b*) if so, the names of the members of the Board ;

(*c*) the measures they have recommended ;

(*d*) the action taken by the Government ?

A.—**Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA** (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Minister for Agriculture (*Chairman.*)

Members:

1. The Secretary to Government, Home, Forest and Agriculture Departments.
2. The Revenue Commissioner.
3. The Chief Conservator of Forests.
4. The Special Chief Engineer.
5. The Director of Agriculture-*cum*-Commissioner for Food Production.
6. The Director of Animal Husbandry.
7. The Deputy Director of Agriculture.
8. The Superintending Engineer, Tunga and Bhadra Projects.

Dr. M. N. Ramaswamy, M.SC., D.SC. (Munich), F.A.SC., Chief Research Officer, Forest Research Laboratory, Bangalore—*Secretary.*

(*c*) No recommendation has been received so far.

(*d*) *Vide* reply to clause (*c*).

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಮಸಿಯಪ್ಪ.—Soil Conservation Boardನ್ನು ಯಾವಾಗ ರಚಿಸಲಾಯಿತು ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—During the quarter of last year, Sir.

Sri V. MASIYAPPA.—ಇದರ terms of reference ಏನೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The terms of reference ಏನೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಹೇಳುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. The Soil Conservation Board has been given certain functions and they are quite elaborate and it would take a lot of time to narrate. Some of these are: proper use of soil, its conservation, terracing, bunding and afforestation all these come under the functions of the Board.

Sri V. MASIYAPPA.—Is that Board expected to give any report to the Government or to implement the directions given by the Government ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Oh, yes This Committee was organised by the State and of course, the report will be there.

Sri V. MASIYAPPA.—I want to know whether the Government have given them any directions to give a report before the Government could venture to adopt the measures for soil conservation ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Well, Sir, we have decided to have a Soil Conservation Board and that Board is working in accordance with the policy that we have adopted both for afforestation and soil conservation work with regard to our fields and agriculture work.

Sri V. MASIYAPPA.—Will the Government be pleased to state what action they have taken so far in the matter of soil conservation ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—In its last meeting held during the last week of February, it has planned out three schemes and it has sent those schemes to the Central Soil Conservation Board. That Board has been provided with over three crores of rupees to be spent during two years time and they can help by way of subsidy in some cases—50 per cent subsidy, and in some cases full subsidy and we are expecting their reply, Sir.

Sri V. MASIYAPPA.—Are these schemes implemented throughout the State or in any particular area only ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—We have schemes for about 9,000 acres in particular, but in course of time we will try to cover all the places.

Sri V. MASIYAPPA.—In those areas, have they included the dry districts ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Mostly dry districts.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಮಸಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ವರ್ಷದ ಬಜೆಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಏನಾದರೂ ತಾವು provision ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—We have some especially for the afforestation work.

1 P.M.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್ ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಮಲೆನಾಡು ನಂಬಂದವಾಗಿ ಏನಾದರೂ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇರಿಸಿದ್ದೀರಾ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—We have got about 9,000 acres and we will certainly include the malnad areas where it may be needed.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಏತಕ್ಕೆಂದರೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಮಳೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿ ಬೀಳುತ್ತಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಭೂಮಿಯುಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ಸಾರವೆಲ್ಲಾ ಕೊಚ್ಚಿಹೋಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ ಎನ್ನುವ ವಿಷಯ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿಯೇ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—That is true. It is a very important problem. *Soil conservation* will have to be taken up by this Board and this is now engaging the attention of the Board.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಈ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ವ್ಯವಸಾಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ರಚಿತವಾಗಿರತಕ್ಕಂಥ ಆ ಬೋರ್ಡು ಈ ಭೂಮಿಯ ಸಾರವನ್ನು ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕ ಸಂಬಂಧದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಯಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಿಗೇ ಹೋಗಿ ಖುದ್ದಾಗಿ ನೋಡಿ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೋ ಅಥವಾ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಇಲಾಖೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಂದ ವರದಿಗಳನ್ನು ತರಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು, ಅವುಗಳ ಆಧಾರದಮೇಲೆ ಇದನ್ನು ಕಂಡು ಹಿಡಿಯುತ್ತಾರೋ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—The problem is very well known. Whether in malnad area or in dry area, all that is necessary for us is to work out schemes by which we could tackle these problems. It is not necessary for any of us to go round, because we are seeing it almost every day and the members of this Committee are well acquainted with the problems in terms of soil conservation.

QUESTION FOR ANSWER ON THE DAY.

(But not taken up.)

Power for Pumps in Bagepalli and Gudibanda Taluks.

Q.—284. Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY (Bagepalli-Gudibanda).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they have given any power for lift irrigation in Bagepalli and Gudibanda taluks in the year 1954-55; if not given, the reasons therefor;

(*b*) how many applications were received and how many sanctioned?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*)—

	No of applications received during the year.	No. of applications sanctioned during the year (including applications made in previous years).
Bagepalli Taluk	66.	13
Gudibanda ,,	8.	19

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Before discussion on the Budget is resumed, I want to bring this fact to the notice of the Hon'ble Members. It becomes very necessary, though it is not a pleasant task for me, to restrict the time at least from to-day because, if we continue the debate till 6 o'clock to-day and to-morrow, we have got only 9 hours at our disposal. The Treasury Bench will take at least two hours for reply. Therefore only seven hours are left at the disposal of the Hon'ble Members. I seek the help of the House at this juncture guide at least in rationing out the time. I invite proposals from the Hon'ble Members.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಹುಚ್ಚಮಾಸ್ತಿಗೌಡ (ಹುಲಿಯೂರು ದುರ್ಗ).—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಈಗ ಗೊತ್ತುಮಾಡಿರುವ ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಲಾಪಗಳು ಈ ದಿವಸ ಮತ್ತು ನಾಳೆ ಎರಡು ದಿವಸಗಳೂ ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ ಆರು ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೂ ನಡೆಯಬೇಕೆಂದಿದೆ. ಇದನ್ನೂ ಈಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಮಾಡಿ ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ ಏಳು ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೂ ಸಭೆ ನಡೆಯುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಿದರೆ ಅನುಕೂಲವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆಂದು ನಾನು ಸೂಚಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I have no objection if Hon'ble Members are prepared to sit till seven or eight. I leave it to the House. I want to know the sense of the House.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಹುಚ್ಚಮಾಸ್ತಿಗೌಡ.—ತಾವು ಈ ಸಭೆಯನ್ನು ಏಳು ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೂ ಕುಳಿತುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಮಾಡಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟರೆ ಆಗ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಉತ್ತರಕೊಡತಕ್ಕ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಎರಡು ಘಂಟೆಗಳನ್ನು ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಬಿಟ್ಟರೆ ಸದಸ್ಯರುಗಳಿಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಲು ಒಂಭತ್ತು ಘಂಟೆಗಳ ಕಾಲಾವಕಾಶ ಸಿಕ್ಕಿದಂತಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಆಗ ತಾವು ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಸದಸ್ಯರಿಗೂ ಹದಿನೈದು ನಿಮಿಷಗಳಂತೆ ಕಾಲವನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಧರಗೊಳಿಸಿದರೆ ಸಾಕು.